

**PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

RE APPLICATION OF:

Lim, *et al.*

APPLICATION No.: 09/518,297

FILED: March 3, 2000

FOR: **DNA BINDING COMPOUND-MEDIATED
MOLECULAR SWITCH SYSTEM**

EXAMINER: Kam, Chih-Min

ART UNIT: 1653

CONF. NO: 5390

Notice of Appeal and Petition for Extension of Time

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals from the decision of the Examiner dated May 13, 2004, rejecting claims 40-43, 45, 46, 50, 51, and 54-59 and objecting to claims 44 and 47-49.

The items checked below are appropriate:

☒ Fee for Notice of Appeal (37 C.F.R. §1.17(b))☒ Small Entity: \$165.00☒ Petition for Extension of Time. Applicant hereby petitions for a/an 1-Month Extension of Time, to extend the period for response to September 13, 2004.Extension Fee (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):☒ Small Entity: ☒ \$55.00☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant petitions for an Extension of Time if necessary for timely filing of this Notice of Appeal.

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